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**Request For Entry Into The Record Of Power of Attorney or Authorization  
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Dear Sir:

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- Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent [1 page] (with single page appendix entitled "US Patent Application - Select List - Customer Number 000046726 - Year 2005")
- Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) [1 page]
- Revocation of Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent [1 page]

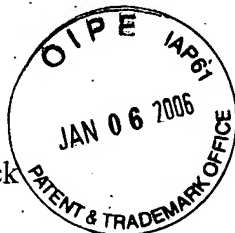


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“US Patent Application – Select List - Customer Number 000046726 – Year 2005”

Application Number	Filing Date	Reel/Frame	Title	Inventor(s)	Internal File Reference
10/791547	3/1/2004	016404/0684	Vacuum cleaner with pivotal fixture for dust bag reinforcing plate in a dust bag compartment	Albert, Wilma; Kess, Herbert; Kleinhenz, Albert; Räder, Sebastian; Schlereth, Andreas; Seith, Thomas	2001P15112WOUS



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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

BSH Bosch und Siemens Hausgeräte GmbH, a limited liability corporation having a place of business at Carl-Wery-Strasse-34, Munich, Germany 81739, states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the US patent applications identified in the attached list entitled "US Patent Applications - Select List - Customer Number 000046726 - Year 2005" by virtue of assignments of the said US patent applications recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The respective Reel and Frame numbers of the records of said assignments in the United States Patent and Trademark Office are set forth on the attached list entitled "US Patent Applications - Select List - Customer Number 000046726 - Year 2005".

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